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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LUNDON :- F. ALGAB, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE

STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Goron, Ludgate Oircus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SARUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 150 Fleet Street PARIS AND EUROPE:-AMEDICE,

36. Ine Lafavette, Paris. NEW, YORK :- J. STEWART HAPPER, THE OHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BEAN & BLACK, Son Fruit-

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, (ND NEW ZEALAND: GORDON & LOTOH, A hourse and Sydney.

ORYLON: W. M. SETTE & Co., TER == APOTRECARTES Co., Colombo SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:--SAYLE & Co., Square, Bingapore. O. HRINEZEN

CHINA: - Macao, A. A. DA ORUZ, Amoy, N. MOALLE. Foothow, Hance & Co. Shanghai, LANE, URAMFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KRILY

Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

FIGHE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA. TION. Rules may be obtained on ap-

plication: INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND BEANGHAI BANK, to be placed on PIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per For the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

ONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND...... \$ 6,300,000. RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$10,000,000.

Prop'rors COURT OF DIRECTORS :-J. S. Moses, Esq. - Chairman. S.C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. - Deputy Chairman. Hon. J. J. Keswick. D. R. Sassoon, Esq. when the subjoined Special Resolution will 1935

CHIEF MANAGER: Hongkong-F. DE Bovis, Esq. MANAGER: Shanghai-J. P. WADE GARDNER, Esq. Company after Article XXI and shall be LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO. LD.

Hongkong-Interest Allowed. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000. On Fixed Deposits,-For 6 months 31 per cent. per annum.

OD BUIDS in excess of \$200,000.

HONGKONG-INTEREST CHARGED. 6 % on LOANS against Shares with full 6 % on Advances against Goods in neutral

7 % on Current Account Overdrafts. 7 % on Advances against Goods in private F. DE BOVIS,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 10, 1891.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL£1,000,000. BUBSCRIEED CAPITAL,£ 500,000.

HEAD OFFICE - HONGKONG. Court of Directors.

I CHOW TUNG SHANG, D. GILLIES, Esq. CHANKITSHAN, Esq. Esq. W. WOTTON, Esq. Kwan Hor Chuen, Esq.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Advisory Committee in London: THOMAS CARMICHAEL, Esq., Messra Dent, Palmer & Co. JOHN BOTTERY, Esq., Mesers John Buttery

C. B. STUART WORTLEY, Esq., M.P. for GEO. MUNRO, ..., Will be held at Bankers. LONDON-THE ALLIANCE BANK (LD.) SCOTLAND - THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF

SCOTLAND. Shanghai - Advisory Committee. His Excel, Heu Fu Lim Kwan King, MA KIE TCHONG, CHU MING SIANG,

Amoy - J. ANDERSON, Manager.

Yokohama-D. FRASER, Manager. Ourrent Accounts opened. Money received on Deposit. Drafts issued. Bills purchased and collected. Advances made on securities or goods in neutral godowns. Usual Bank Agency business undertaken. Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %

For rates of Interest for other periods apply to the MARAGER. Hongkong, February 17, 1892.

Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

Head Office......40, Threadneedle Street. West End Office. .. 25, Cockspur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN

AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Oredit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to e had on application. E. W. RUPPER.

Hongkony, August 19, 1891.

Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1891.

Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, February 10, 1892.

NOTICE. THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY,

LIMITED. JETHE Sixth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be

held at the Company's OFFICE, 2, Pedder's A. Street, on MONDAY, the 29th February, 1892, at 4 p.m. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to 29th February, 1892, both days inclusive. J. V. P. DE JESUS.

Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, February 11, 1892. GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General MEETING of the Company advertised to be held on the 29th day of Rebruary, will be held on SATUR-DAY, the 12th March, at Noon, at the Company's OFFICES. IMMEDIATELY after the conclusion of the Ordinary General T. E. Davies, Esq. Alex. McConachie, Meeting an EXTRAORDINARY General C. J. Holliday, Esq. Esq. MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of H. Hoppius, Esq. L. Poesnecker, Esq. the Company will be held at the same place,

be submitted. That the following Article shall be inperted in the Articles of Association of the numbered Article XXIv.

XXIA "The Company may from time to time, by Special Resolution reduce its Capital by paying off Capital or cancelling Capital which has been lost, or is unrepresented by available assets, or reducing the liability on the shares, or otherwise as may seem expedient, and Capital may be paid off upon the footing that it may be called up again or

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 27th February to the 12th March, both days inclusive. Dated, 25th February, 1892.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Unieral Managers.

OHINESE PILOTAGE SERVICE. (To all whom it may concern.)

TOTICE is here'y given that on MON-DAY, the 4th April, 1892, there will be held a Competitive EXAMINATION in the HARBOUR MASGER'S OFFICE at NEW-CHWANG, to fill TWO VACANCIES in the 16,-International Tug of War, 8 men a

Newchwang Pilotage Service: the Last of Candidates and who can produce a Master's or Mate's Certificate, together with the required Consular Certificate as to character, etc., are qualified to com-

J. ARMOUR, Harbour Master.

Approved:G. F. MONTGOMERY. Assistant in Charge.

Custom House. Newchwang, 26th January, 1892. 340 THE KOWLOON LAND & BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the KOWLOON LAND & BUILDING the REGISTERED OFFICES of the Company, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of March, 1892, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 24th

February, 1892 :--That in the second and third lines of Article 81 of the Articles of Association the words "One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars" be struck out and that there

be substituted therefor the words "One Hundred and Fair Dollars." By Order of the Board, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land In vestment and Agency Co., Ltd.

Agents for the Kowloon Land &

Building Co., Ltd. Dated, 24th day of February, 1892. 370 PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE

AN BS. FALCONER has VACANCIES IVI for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS at Kowloon, Victoria View, Hongkong, July 13, 1891.

Business Notices.

CLAYENGER'S "DEMON" TENNIS BATS. L. C. & Co.'s "KENNINGTON" TENNIS BATS. L O. & Co.'s BLACK STRING TENNIS BATS. "CAVENDISH" TENNIS POLES and NETS. STEAM-TANNED TENNIS NETS, &c., &c.

SMITH & WESSON'S REVOLVERS, Improved "BULL DOG" REVOLVERS, COLT'S REGULATION REVOLVERS, WINCHESTER MAGAZINE DARBINES, COLT'S "SIGHTING" CARBINE, MARTINI HENRI MATCH RIFLES, HAMMERTON SPORTING F. WLING PIECES. AMMUNITION OF ALL KINDS.

PIGON & WILK'S "ALLIANCE" GUNPOWDER.

SINGLE STICKS, FOILS, BOXING GLOVES, BILLIARD SUNDRIES, FOOTBALLS, QUOITS, ORICKETING GEAR, LAWN BOWLS, PLAYING CARDS, CHESS, DRAUGHTS, BACKGAMMON, DICE, DOMINOES, REVERSI, and a variety of GAMES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, February 27, 1892. W. POWELL & Co. THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 29th February, HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FIRST DELIVERIES OF Central, on MONDAY, the 29th February,

LADIES', GENTLEMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S

STRAW HATS. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 15th to 29th NEW SUMMER SILKS.

NEW PRINTS, &c., &c. W. POWELL & Co.

NEW WHITE DRESS GOODS.

Hongkong, February 27, 1892.

DRESS SUIT.

NEWEST MATERIALS, from \$30.00, Silk-lined.

VERY LARGE SELECTION OF SCOTCH TWEED, AND OTHER SUITINGS. EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, Latest Style.

TIES and GLOVES. 1-HOSE SILK, THREAD and MERINO. SHOES and PUMPS.

1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

TARIFT. 5.00 Sitting Room per day,..... Board & Lodging per day (1 person) Extra Bedroom per day do, for married 7.30 Bed and Breakfast couples (occupying I room), 90.00 Broakfast,.... Board & Lodging P month (1 person) 135.00 Tiffin, 1.00 do. for married Dinner, couples (occupying 1 room). Extra Bedroom per month...... 45.00 Children by arrangement according to age.

Sitting Room per month, 50.00 Special Terms for a week and from Saturday to Monday. THAM TICKETS supplied to VISITORS at reduced rates. For further Particulars, apply to The Secretary, 38 & 40, Queen's Obnthal. The Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN.

Intimations.

I TONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS, TO BE YELD ON THE RACLCOURSE

SATURDAY, the 12th of March, commencing at 1 o'clock.

PROGRAMME :--120 Yards Flat Race (Handicap). Putting the Shot. 3. - Wide Jump. 4 .- 220 Yards Flat Race (Handicap).

5 .- Bicycle Race (Half-Mile Handicap). 6. Half Mile Fiat Ruce (Handicap). Open to Soldiers, Sailors, and Police. 7 .- Hurdle Race, 120 Yards, 10 Flights. 8. L. dies' Purse, Half-Mile Flat Race (Handioap.) 9.—High Jump.

10.-Bicyele Raca (Handicap). One Mile, 11.-100 Yards Challenge Cup. 12. Quarter Mile Flat Pace, open to European Police. 13. Throwing the Cricket Ball.

14 -Mile Challenge Cup 15. Veterane' Race, 120 Yards (Handicap). 10 Years in Tropics and over 35 Years

All those who have their Names down on 17 .- Douglas Challenge Cup, Quarter-Mile 18.—Half-Mile Steeplechase (9 Jumps). 19.—Consolation Race.

> The Numbers do not necessarily represent the order in which the Events will take ENTRIES will CLOSE on FRIDAY. March 4th, 1892. Entry forms can be obtained from the Honokong Club, VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB, or Hong-KONG CRICKET CL' R. Hongkong, February 25, 1892.

TRADE MARK

VALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Wine and Spirit Merchants,

13, QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, August 18, 1891. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-Third Ordinary Annua MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Orricas of the Company, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 10th Proximo, at Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1891, the Report of of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 26th Instant to the 10th Proximo (both days inclusive).

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongrong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. Hongkong, February 10, 1892.

intimations. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-

TURING COMPANY, LIMITED, THE Eighth Ordinary General MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be hold at the OFFICE of the Coropany, Praya

Central, on FRIDAY, the 11th March, at Three Thirty o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the TERRACE. General Managera, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Queen's Road. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company WEST VILLA. will be CLOSED from 25th February to

11th March, both days inclusive. SHEWAN & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, February 20, 1892

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS FILLE THIRD CALL of ONE Pound (£1).

is PAYABLE on or before the 12th MARCH NEXT. SHAREHOLDERS will plosse bring or a ud their Provisional Cerrificares, in order to have payment endorsed upon them. Residents at Amoy, Shanghai and Yokohama can Pay at the Bank's Branches

there, and at · Canton,.... to Messrs. SHEWAN & Co. Foochow, ..., , M. W. Greio & Co. By Order of the Court of Directors, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Quief Manager.

Hongkong, February 10, 1892 IFELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,

THINGS CHINESE: being Notes on various subjects connected with China by J. Dyer Ball, M.R. A.S., \$3. THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS; a Historical, Geographical, Ethnological, Social and Commercial Sketch of the Philippine Archipelage and its Political Dependencies by John Fereman, F.R.G.S., \$5. THE REAL JAPAN : Studies of Contemporary Japanese Manners, Morals, Ad-

ministration and Politics, by Henry Nor-MURRAY'S GUIDE TO JAPAN: revised and enlarged by Basil Hall Chamberlain and W. R. Mason 84.50. Seton Keir's Guide to Japan, 21. Keeling's Guide to Japan, \$2.

Official Railway and Steam Boat Guide and General Information for use of Tourists in Japan, 83. New Map of Japan, showing Roads and Railways, 75 cents. Hand Book of Japanese Phrases, 75 cents. Maleum in Pervo Atlas of the World, containing 96 Mans, with descriptive letter-

The Shi King, translated by Rev. W. Jennings, late Colonial Chaplain, forming Vol. 2 of Sir John Lubbock's Best 100 Books, \$1.00. China, New and Old, Personal Recollections and Observations of 30 years, by Archdeagon Moule, \$2.50 All the Newest Books on China and Japan.

press, \$1.

KELLY & WAISH, LIMITED, HONOKONG.

TIESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH, HONGKONG.

Intimations.

DIVINE SERVICE, EVERY SUNDAY MORNING. AT 10.30,

ST. ANDREW'S HALL. NOTICE.

THE EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGE O PREPARING OPIUM and SELL. ING and RETAILING OF UM so prepared will CEASE on the 20th FEDRUARY NEXT. No Prepared Opium purchased from me or my licensees can be used after noon of the 3rd Marcu. 1892, without the consent of the New Holder of such exclusive privilege as aforesuid.

KOH CHENG SEAN Opium Farmer. Hongkong, February 2, 1892.

Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE WE Have This Day ESTABLISHED ourselves at this Port as GENERAL IMPORT and COMMISSION MER CHANTS.

HARVIE & Co. PRODER'S STREET. Hongkong, February 22, 1892. PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY. NOTICE. TNDER INSTRUCTIONS from the DIRECTORS I have assumed CHARGE

of the Company's BUSINESS at this Port. H. H. JOSEPH. Superintendent.

For Sale.

Hongkong, January 26, 1892.

FOR SALE BY TENDER. [DENDERS are invited for the PUR-OHASE of the BUSINESS and PROPERTY belonging to the AMOY ICE & ÆRATED WATERS COMPANY,

consisting of :-ONE ICE MACHINE, Complete, by Siebe & West. ONE BOILER and FITTINGS, as it now stands ready for use. ONE ÆRATED WATER MACHINE,

TWO ERATED WATER MACHINES, by Davenport & Co. TWO BOTTLING MACHINES and ONE PUMPING APPARATUS. The Whole to he SOLD with the BUILDINGS containing the above, subject to the conditions on which they are now held by the Company. TENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned until Noon, 15TH MARCH,

by J. TAYLOR & Sons.

1892, the Vendors reserving the right to reect any Tender. For further Particulars, apply to N. MOALLE. Manager,

AMOY ICE & ERATED WATERS Co. Amoy, 18th February, 1892.

> To Let. TO LET.

TOUSES at the PEAK and at 'BELLLIOS SHOP in BEACONSFIELD ARCADE, HOUSE, No. 31, Pokinlum Road, GODOWNS in Duppell STREET.

BUNGALOW, 'DELMIR,' You-ma-tee. GODOWNS or OFFICES-First Floor at back of 'MARINE HOUSE." Apply to BELILIOS & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1892.

TO LET AT THE PEAR. (RAGIEBURN. -Oentrally situated, in extensive grounds, with one double and one single Tennis Court, containing 24 ROOMS, exclusive of Servan a R oms, superior Kitchen, GAS, WATER, ELECTRIC P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, BELL and SPEAKING TUBE SERVICES. MOUNT KELLETT -TWO Comfortable Five-Roomed HOUSES, one of which

is Furnished. Apply to MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1892. 272

TO LET. ATO. 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. TUSCULUM, MAGAZINE GAT.

Hongkong, February 17, 1892. NOTICE. TTO LET FURNISHED from the lat

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

May, No. 4, Moraison Hill A K. TRAVERS, Hongkong, February 9, 1892.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD-ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

AT ROWLOON. Few HOUSES in KNUTSFORD TERRACE, containing 5 ROOMS each and BATH ROOMS. TERMIS COURTS. Healthy situation. Cheap Rent.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENOY Co., LAD. Hongkong, August 6, 1891. TO LET.

With Immediate Possession. TWO Large STONE GOD WNS having Stone Wharf in front .. es. 89 & 90, PRAYA East. Rent moderate.

DORABJEE NOVROJEE. Hongkong, February 16, 1892.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received IVI instructions from the MORTGAGEES to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY. 90 the 8th Murch, 1892, at 3 o'clock p.m., at the Premises. —

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES,

Comprising :- Nos. 7, 9, 11 and 13, WYND-HAM STREET No. 14, WELLINGTON STREET, and Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, WY TAK LANE, Victoria, Hongkong, and

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND registered in the Land Oppior, 88 THE REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 138, as the same FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE Premises are held for the residue of a term of 75 years from the 22nd January, 1844, and for a further term of 924 years from the expiration of the term of 75 years, subject to the payment of the pro-portion of the Yearly Crown Rents payable in respect thereof, and to the Performance of the Crown Convenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Lettings and Ten-

ancies thereof. The HOUSES will be SOLD in One Lot or Separate Lots, comprising One House each, at the option of the Vendors. For Sale Plan, further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

WOTTON & DEACON, Solicitors for the Mortgagers, Hongkong, PALMER & TURNER, Architects ;

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 25, 1892.

Insurances.

THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT INSURANCES to the extent of \$100,000 on First-class Risks at

current rates. DUNN, MELBYE & Co. Hongkong, September 19, 1891. 2180 THE SUN LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF CANADA.

ASSETS OVER \$3,000,000.00. INCLICIES absolutely non-forfeitable. No restrictions as to Residence or Raice of Premia low. Policies issued on all approved Forms For further Particulars, apply to

Agents for Hongkong. 23rd February, 1892.

Shipping.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

Steamers. STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY, (Calling at COLOMBO, if sufficient. inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship ----

Lomburdy. Captain F. J. Cour. will leave for the above places on THURSDAY, the 3rd March, at Noon. H. H. JOSEPH,

P. & O. S. N. Ca.'s Office. Hongkong, February 20, 1892. STRAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Captain J. L. Parritt

above port after her arrival with the out-H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent. Hongkong, February 22, 1892.

R.N.R. will have quick despatch for the

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to-NTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN)

The Steamship Capt. E. OHRISTIANSEN, above Forts on FRIDAY, the 4th March, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 24, 1892. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM TO SHANGBAL.

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

The Co.'s Steamship

will, leave for the above place on the 5th March, at Li o'clock a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, February 24, 1892. 378 SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON HAMBURG AND ANTWERP,

The Steamship Radnorshire,
Capt. F. Davies, n. n.,
will be despatched as above on or about the 10th March. For Freight or Passage, apply to DUDWELL CARLILL'& Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 18, 1893.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND

TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship despatched for the above

Ports TO-MORROW, the 28th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRATE & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, February 27, 1892. MOCUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

AND YOROHAMA. The Steamship Captain Barrey, will be despatched as above on r about SUNDAY; the 28th Instant, at Daylight, instead of as proviously advertised.

DODWELL CARLILL & Co.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 27, 1892 FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamship

Captain R. Könter, will above Port on MUNDAY, the 29th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 26, 1892. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

The Co.'s Steamship

Esmeralda,

Captain Tayres, will be The Co.'s Steamship

Esmeralda. Ports on MONDAY, the 29th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 26, 1892. UNION LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKL, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

SHEWAN &. Co.,

General Managers.

The Steamship Captain Benwick, will have prompt despatch for above Ports after arrival. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 28, 1892. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. STEAM FOR HAIPHONG.

(Taking Passengers and Cargo for HOTHOW, TOURANE & QUINHON.) The Co.'a Steamship - Hairhong. Captain Fauran, will leave for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 1st March, at Noon.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, February 26, 1892.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. J. B. Magnizzan, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 3rd

March, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. B. STEVENS & Co.. Agenta.

Hongkong, February 26, 1892.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA. SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 4th March, at Noon. H. H. JOSEPH, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

Captain F. H. SEYMOUR,

Hougkoup, February 22, 1892. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Riversdale,
Mooney, Commander,
will be despatched for the above Port on or about SUNDAY, the

6th Proximo, at Daylight, instead of as pre-

viously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 20, 1892. 300

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL. The Co. a Steamship

O. DE LA PERRELLE, Compatched as above on or about the 12th For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, February 25, 1892.

Keemun.

Entertainments.

THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB Will give PERFURMANCES of the FARCICAL COMEDY

By F. C. BURNAND, TO-NIGHT, 27th February. TUESDAY, 1st March.

Dick Talbot Mr Leslie Hallward. Mr Birkett Mr C. J. Holliday. Adolphus Birkett (his son)... Mr E. Osbonnen To-DAY.

Lt. Col. Mulcahy, No. Ol. A.C.G. of O_{i} Mr Dawson (a tutor) ... Mr E. W. Mitchell William (a man servant)...Mr S. L. Darby. Madame Polenta......Mrs Gordon. Nellie Bassett Miss Hazcland. Clara Poyton Mrs Ed. Robinson.

Betsy (the maid) Mrs Brewitt. Doors open each Evening at 8.30 p.m. Performance at 9 p.m. - PRICES AS USUAL. Tickets can be obtained at Messrs. Lane, CRAWFORD & Co.'s; on and after Tuesday, 23rd February, at 11 a.m.

A SPECIAL CAR to and from the Peak will run each Evening before and after the Performance. Hongkong, February 27, 1892.

Intimations.

E. Kressmann, Bordeaux. Firm's well-known BRANDS of

CLARETS: Margaux Medoc ... Chateau Lafon Rochet, 1 12,25 St. Estèphe 1883 Moulis Brillette, Medoc 1880 13.00 Chatean Lamorero, Moulis 1878 Chateau Latour, Second vin 1880 mis en bouteilles au Château Chateau Locville, Barton Château La Eagune 1875 ... 26.50 Château Calon Ségur, St. 3 28.00 Estèphe 1875 SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, February 12, 1892.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. TAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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Shipping Orders will be granted till 5 p.m. on the 4th March, Cargo will be received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 5th March. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents of Packages is required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For turther Particulars, apply to

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Notices to Consignees.

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP MORAY, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND JAVA.

formed that all Goods are being landed the 29th February current, at the Oprions at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong- of the Corporation, where Shareholders are KOND & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., requested to apply for WARBANTS. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon-No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th

Proximo will be subject to rent.
All Claims against the Steamer must presented to the Undersigned on or before the 4th Prox., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th Prox., at 3 p. m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, February 26, 1892. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FROM-LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE S.S. Glenfalloch, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the

Godowns of the Hongkone and Kowloon WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, THE Undersigned hold STOCK of this at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

> Cargo remaining undelivered after the 1st Proximo wilkbe subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 8th Proximo, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, February 24, 1892.

STEAMSHIP NATAL. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Guadalquivir and Gaudiana, from Havre ex Steamship Gaudiana, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Hongkong & Kowloon WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 6 p.m. To-DAY (Wednesday), the 24th Instant, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-DAY, the 3rd March, at Noon, will be

PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742 subject to rent, and landing charges per All Damaged Packages will be examined on Thursday, the Scd March, at 3 p.m. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Thursday, the 3rd March, or they

will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkeug, February 24, 1892.

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP TARTAR, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL,

AND STRATTS. YONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby inlanded at their risk into the Godowns of the Hengkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., at Kowleen, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORROW. No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd Prox. will be subject to gent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before. the 3rd Proximo, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the ord Proximo, at No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, February 25, 1892. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE S.S. Arratoon Appear having arrived

from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 27th Instant will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the WANCHAI WAREHOUSE AND STORAGE Co., LTD., Wanchai. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, February 25, 1892.

Not Responsible for Debts.

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Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-Agon, Norwegian barque, Capt. A. Christensen. - Kong Wing Tai. PATRICIAN, American ship, Captain E. R. Stuting .- Jardine, Matheson & Co.

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Poppingron, British etc., Capt. Berwick. -Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

| HE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December, 1891, at the Rate of (£1.10 Stg.) NE POUND AND TEN SHILLINGS STERLING per Share of \$125 CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in- is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, By Order of the Court of Directors,

> This Manager. Hougkong, February 27, 1892. 399

- F. DE BOVIS,

NOTICE. THE style of the Firm of POATE and NOBLE, DENTAL SURGEONS has been changed to "Dr. J. W. NOBLE," and will be represented as ander:JOSEPH W. NOBLE | Hongkong HERBERT D. REQUA CHAS. L SNYDER

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WEDNESDAY,

the 9th March, 1892, at 3 o'clock p.m ... THE S.S. KIUKIANG. now lying in the Hongkong Harbour, with all such of her MACHINERY, ENGINES, SHIP'S STORES, FUR-NITURE, FITTINGS and APPURcept the STEAM WINDLASS, ANCHORS

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take off intending Purchasers. Hongkong, February 27, 1892. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPAN LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain HUNTER, will be Ports on TUESDAY, the Mst March, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 27, 1892. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship Telemacaus,
Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on
March. THURSDAY, the 3rd March. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, February 27, 1892. OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY

LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

The Co.'s Steamship Taiman. R. Nelson, Commander, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 17th Proximo. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloonand Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber encures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

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CENTRAL.

ARRIVALS. February 27, 1802 -Ningpo, German str., from Whampoa. Amoy, German steamer, 814, The Lehmann, Wuhu February 23, Rice. - Signesen

DEPARTURES. February 26 :-Inconstant, French gunboat, for Amoy. Pobruary 27 :-Himalaya, British troopship, for Europe. Wesang, for Whampus. Hintyck, for Singapore and Lundon. Bantam, for Saigon. Naniwa, Japanese cruiser, for Manile. Zakachiho, Japanesa cruiser, for Manila.

Business Notices.

IMPORTANT

CLEARANCE

Annual

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

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Per Verona, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

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HOURS OF CLOSING THE

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Packets leave at Noon.

by country, with the addresses al

will be closed at 5 the day before.

Circulara ceases.

OLO WAY .

11.00 A.M. - Mail closes.

to 12 and 4 o'clock.

&c. should be registered.

Tuesday, March 1:-

Thursday, March 3:--

Noon subject to tent.

this date subject to rent.

3 p.m.-Auction of s.s. Kinking.

at the Company's Office.

Rosintered Offices,

— Hall.

Local rates will be charged.

10.00 \ m - Registry ceases.

Books, and Patterns ceases.

THE LEFTERS may be posted (from

11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloon

Letters from Kowloon Point, may be

posted in the Letter Box which has been

There will be no Sunday delivery.

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

Goods per Glenfalloch undelivered after

9 p.m. -A. D. C. Performance at City

Goods per Steamer Natal unclaimed after

Goods per Milks Mars undelivered after

Point and steamers in Harbour may be

15 P.M. Registry ceases.

closing the Mails, &c.

The usual hours will be observed

MAILS will close:-

the 4th March.

Registry ceases at 1 P.M.

SALE

IN ALL DEPARTMENTS. PROCEEDING.

SPECIAL BARGAINS.

Hongkong Trading Co., Ld.

Tossels Advertised a: Loa ing.

Date of Leaning. Pessels. Destinatio: P. & O. S. N. Co March 8, at noon. London & Ports o Cull Mirzapore (8) .. Butterfield & Swire ... March 3. London, v. Suoz Canal Telemachus (s)... Arnhold, Karberg & Co. About March 12. London v. Ports of Call Keemun (s)..... Shewan & Co...... Feb. 29, at 5 p m Manila, via Amoy..... Esmeralda (8).... Messageries Maritimes March 9, at moon. Marseilles, v. Saigon Calcdonien (8).... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Quick despatch. N'saki, Kobe & Yhama Torrington (8).... "Dodwell, Carlill & Co. March 21, daylight New York, v. Suez Canal Riverdale (a)..... Butterfield & Swire... March 17. . O. & O. S. S. Co..... March 10, at 1 p.m S. Francisco, v. Japani Gaelic (8) Pacific Mail S. S. Co., March 23, at 1 p.m. TENANCES, as is now on Board, ex- | S. Francisco, v. Japan China (s)...... . Siemssen & Co..... Feb. 29, at 4 p.m. Shanghai Ningpo (8)..... . D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. March 5, at 11 a.m. and CHAIN CABLES, FIRE PUMPS and Shanghai Barenice (8)..... .P. & O. S. N. Co..... Quick despatch. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Feb. 28, daylight liberty to Remove after the Sale of the S'hai, N'ki, K'be&Y'ma Tartar (s)...... Siemssen & Co...... March 4, at noon. S'pore, Havre & H'burg Aglaia (s)..... P. & O. S. N. Co March 3, at noon. Struits and Bombay Lombardy (8) Douglas Lapraik & Co. Feb. 28, daylight. Swatow, Amoy & Tfoo Thales (a)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. March 1, daylight. S'tow, Amoy & Fchow Haiphong (s) Vancouver (B.C.), & .. Empress of India (s)... Canadian Pice R. Co., March 1, at noon.

CLEARED. Tartar, for Shanghai. Activ. for Haiphong. Thales, for Coast Ports. Triumph, for Hollow. Bengloe, for Moji, Catt rthun, for Port Darwin and Sydney Aron, for Rajang.

Decima, for Saigon. Socchow, for Shanghei. PASSENGERS.

> ARRIVED. Per Amoy, from Wuhu, 11 Chinese. To DEPART. Per Thales, for Swatow, Mr Lee Chang Wing ; for Amoy, Mr T. H. Dalby ; for Taiwanfoc, Dr D. E. Peterson,

Per Activ. for Haiphong, 20 Chinese. Per Triumph, for Hollow, 140 Chinese. Per Catterthun, for Sydney, 4 Huropeaus, and 3 Chinese. Per Decima, for Saigon, 250 Chinese.

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POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For MANILA.

Per Teviot, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday, the 29th inst. For SHANGRAL -Per Aingpo, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 20th inst. For KUDAT & SANDAKAN .--Per Memnon, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,

the 29th inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Haiphong, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 29th inst. 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p. ro. For HOIHOW & SINGAPORE. -Per Donar, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 1st March. placed in the Police Station Compound up

For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.-Per Haiphong, at 11.30 a m., on Tuesday, the 1st March.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY .--Per Lombardy, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 3rd March. For SINGAPORE.

Per Aglaia, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday the 4th March. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co. 's PACKET.-

The British Contract Packet Empress o . India_will be despatched on TUES-DAY, the 1st March, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, Canada, the United States of America, and countries beyond, vid Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. -11.15 A.M. Rogis ry closes. 11.30 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres-

FRIDAY, March 4:-pondence may be posted on board the Entries for the Hongkong Athletic Sports Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until time of departure. Goods per Moray undelivered after this date subject to rent. TUESDAY, March 8 :-MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. --3 p.m. - Austion of Valuable Leasehold Properties at Wyndham Street, &c.

Tuo British Contract Packet Mirzapore will be despatched on THURSDAY, the WHINESDAY, March 1:-3rd March, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries be- THURSDAY, March 10: youd, vid Brindist; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and

Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mail &c.

Stocktaking.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping. 4 p.m .- Ningpo leaves for Shanghai. 6 p.m.—Esmeralda los ves for Manila, &c. Meetings.

3 p.m. Meeting of Shareholders of The H:K. & Whampon Dock Co., Ld., at No. 14, Praya Central. 4 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Steam Launch Co., Ltd., at Company's Miscellaneous,

MEMUS. FOR TO-MORROW

Shipping.

Daylight .- Thales leaves for Swatow, &c

Daylight. - Tartar leaves for S'hai, &c.

Dividend of E1.10/ on Shares of the H.K. & S'hai Banking Corp., payable.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Limited. WINES AND SPIRITS. WE invite attention to the following Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the

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D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Uapsule..... B Superior Pale Dry. dinner wine, Green Seal Cap-O Manzanilla, Pale Natural

Sherry, White Capsule 10 OO Superior Old Dry Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule,..... 10 D Very Superior Old Pale Dry; choice old Wine. White Seal Capsule..... 12 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capanie (Old

Per Case. Per Case. The German Contract Packet Neckar will CLARETS. Quarts. Pinis. he despatched on SATURDAY, the 5th A Superior Breakfast Claret, March, with Mails for the United King-Red Capsule \$4 B St. Estephe, Red Capsole vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settle-O St. Julien, Red Capsule ... mente, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, D La Rose, Red Capsule MADEIRA, HOOK & CHAMPAGNES.

The Mail closes at 2 P.M. Late letters till Full particulars of the various Brands in stock on application. BRANDY. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red The French Contract Packet Calidonien will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the B Superior Very Old Cognac, 9th March, with Mails for the Red Cansule 15 United Kingdom, Europe, and places be-C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, yond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Red Capsule 20 Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, D Hennessy's Finest Very Old the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery,

Liqueur Cognac, 1672 Madras, Caloutta, Aden, Mauritius, Vintage, Red Capsule... 30 2.50 SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Blend, White B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Cap-MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET sule, with Name and The United States Mail Packet Gaelic Trade Merk,.... will be despatched on THURSDAY, C Watson's Aberlour-Glenlivet. the 10th March, with Mails for Japan, Red Capsule, with Name San Francisco, the United States, and Trade Mark 8 Qanada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt

Whiskies, Violet Cap-30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Packet, with Late Fee of 10 vents extra Scotch Whisky, Gold TRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old Green Capaule

B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capaule 10 C John Jameson's Very Fine The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the Old, Green Capsule 12 GENUINE BOUREON WHISEY. English and Fronch Packets, when they fine old, Red Capsule. leave at Noon. The Money Order Office with Name 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and WIN.

A Fire Old Tom, White Cap-(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock B Fine Unawootoned, White if they are tied in bundles, country C Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5 25 Finest Old Jamaica, Vic-10.30 A.M. Posting of Newspapers, Good Leeward Island ... \$1.10 per Gal.

LIQUEURS. Benedictine, Marsachino Curacos, Hearing's Cherry Cordial Chartreuse. Dr. Siegert's Angostura PRIOES ON APPLICATION.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

THE HONGRONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, February 4, 1892. posted in the General Post Office up to MARRIAGE. At St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong, on the 27th Fabruary, by the Rev. Douglas Hamilton, Sidner, eldest En of

Jeffrey, Eag., Ipswich, to Anira Markl. daughter of Captain George, of Haverslord-To spoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their west, South Wales. stamps by writing the word stamped across The publication of this issue commenced Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery at 7,20 p.m.

The China Mail.

SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL (Via Southern Line).

OF CONNAUGHT:

FRENCH ANARCHISTS AND CON-TEMPLATED OUTRAGES.

Noon. -Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Fire Indurance Co., Ltd., 3 p.m. - Meeting of The Kowleon Land & Building Co., Ld., at the Company's contions at Xeros.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURE CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Mikawa Maru. Jan. 19; Hartville, 29; Hupeh, Feb. 2;
Achilles, Glenartney, Orestes, Abergeldie, 5; Kaisow, 9; Carmarthenshire,
9; Macduff, Bellerophon, Denbighshire,
Palinurus, Erigga, Salazie, 16. MEWARD BOUND :- Europa, Nov. 24 Strathleven, Jan. 5; Collingham, 19 : Melbourne, Ainsdale, Jan. 22 Benjaria, Jan. 20 Haverton, Feb. 2; Lanark, 5; Agamennon, Ajac. Krismhild, Moyune, 8; Connemara.

P. & O. e. of Chyde, with the Eno-LISH MAIL of Jan. 29th, left Singapore on Tuesday, 23rd Feb., at 7 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, 28th February. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Dec. 24th.

Patrodus, Sikh, 12; Monmonthalire,

he O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Gaelic, with the AMBRICAN MAIL of the 4th Feb., leaven Yokohama on Baturday, Feb. 27, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 3rd March. Canadian Pacific Railway steamthip Empress of Japan left Vancouver for Japan and Hongkong on the 14th Feb., and is due at Yokohama on 28th

Feb., and Hongkong on March 7. The D. D. R. s. Electra, from Bamburg, left Singapore on Feb. 22, and may be expected here on or about Feb. 28. he Austrian Lloyd's steamer Berenice, from Triesto, left Singapore on Feb. 22nd, and may be expected here on or about

Feb. 29. The P. and O. a. s. Thibet from Bombay; left Singapore for this port on 25th Feb., and may expected here on or about March 2. Capsule (Old Bottled) 18 1.50 The P. and O. a. Briedist left Bombay for this port on Feb. 17.

> The P. & O. s. S. Gradior left Bombay for this port on Feb. 22. UNION CHURCH. SUNDAY, FEB. 28TH, Psalm, 91 Anthem, No. 5; Hymns,

2, 315 and 285. ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL QUINQUAGESIMA SUPDAY. Matins :- Venite, Hooper ; Paslus, Gilbert. Stewart, Woodward and Mornington ; Te Deum & Jubilate, Tours in F; Anthem, 'O praise the Lord;' Litany, Tallin: Hymn, 1,4; Offertory,

vensong :- Psalms, Porcell; Magnificat, Barnby; Nunc Dimittis, Foster; Hymns, 257, 403 and 210. To-DAY at the Magistracy Mr Wise fined a 7.50 | coolie \$40, with the option of three months' 12.00 imprisonment, for being in the unlawful possession of eight catties of medicine.

THE following alterations in the Share List came to hand too late to be made in our table on the fourth page :- Banks, \$155 sellers : Bank of China, 811 ; Imuris, 371; Steamboats, \$351 to 351. We hear the river steamer rivalry has come to an 1.75 end by agreement. THE coolie who was arrested on leaving

the Supreme Court yesterday was brought

before Mr Wise at the Magistrany to-day

and fined \$10, with the alternative of a

month's imprisonment, for assaulting the cook of the Batavia on 17th November last. This afternoon a Chinese prisoner attempted to escape from the Victoria Gaol by scaling the wall into Old Bailey. While on the top of the wall three shots were fired and he dropped into the street and

austained serious injuries. He was taken

THE FINANCIAL POSITION 14 PORTUGAL. The directors of the Credit Lyonnais. Comptoir d'Escompte and Crédit Industriel have been interviewed by a representative of the Relair regarding the financial situstion in Portugal. They are reported to have declared that while, in their opinion, the finances of that country are in a greatly embarrassed condition, they believe that the difficulties are merely temporary, and may be removed if Portugal will adopt a policy of rigid economy and make an arrangement with her creditors, who, i convinced of her honesty, will not withhold their co operation. Senhor Aives Davelge. stated, in raply to a representative of the same fournal, that in his view the Portuguese financial orleis was more complicate ed than ever. He held that the only means of bringing about a satisfactory settlement would be the proclamation of a Republic, for the Monarchy, having generally exhausted its resources, would never be able to accomplish the requisite

FIGHT BETWEEN A SHARE AND A WHALE .--The New Zealand Herald in a recent issue reports that on the trip to Fiji and back of the steamer Orders, just concluded, Captain A. W. Cameron and his officers saw a strange encounter. The steamer was going slong at about ten knots in midocean when a commetten was observed in the water shead, and the body of a hage marine animal or fish, with what appeared to be great flippers, was to be seen rising and falling. Captain Cameron steered direct for the stranger. On approaching close the commotion was lound to be caused by a whale, over 80 feet long, fighting with a thresher aback. The latter apparently was having the best of the comat as the whale kept on the surface of the water comparatively quiet, while the shark ever and at on threw itself out of the water and brought its tail down with a terrible blow upon the whale. The Oralan was so close to the animals, which were too much occupied to heed the vessel, that other could have been touched with a pole. The captain could not stop his ship long enough to observe the result of the

Love has wings, but money gets there with both feet.

Mas Spooney i Will you love me just as much, darling, when I am old? Mr 8.1 More, dear; you won't be so eilly then.

I fall now quite satisfied that there is no Paris anerchists, preparing for Mayday life so happy as a merried one. And how

outrages in European Capitals. A quan- Hr Well, may I hope, then, dear, that making you my wife ? She: I hope so; I'm sure I'm getting tired of suing for breach

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1892. TELEGRAMS.

ILLNESS OF THE DUCKESS

London, 25th February, 1692. The Duchess of Connaught is suffering from a slight attack of pueumonia.

agitations, have abstracted dynamite from long have you been married P. Since last the Manicipal quarries to carry out tity of the explosive has been sent to some time I may have the happiness of Spain to avenge the recently reported ex-

THE BEST-FED SOLDIER IN THE WORLD. Notwithstanding, a certain amount of grumbling on the part of rank and file as to the occasional inferior quality of the meat ration issued, the British soldier still remains the best-fed fighting manin Europe. The system of our neighbours across the Channel leaves much to be desired. Our contractors have not yet arrived at the point of adding the bones, tendons, and unestable portions of other animals to the bones; tendons, and uneatable portions of the unimals slaughtered for the troops. This, however, if not of common occurrence, does occur in some French garrisons. The suggestion of a writer in Le Temps a couple of months sizeois, perhaps, scrrounded with difficulty; it was that the authorities should purchase the cattle alive, as being more easily judged for quality by the Veterinary Department and then slaughtered, presumably under the eyes of the military authorities, the contractor being allowed to take away the prime joints. I would, however, be much more reasonable to leave the whole carcass, the prime portions going in turn regimentally and by companies, -Broad Arrow.

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the Colony has lost one more of its old residents in the Hon. P. Ryrie.

That the dwindling phalanx of old etagers who knew the Rupert of Debate in his prime, are best able to appreciate the Ryrie to the Colony.

That he was perhaps the most independent member who ever sat in Council, and the most popular, because the readiest to reflect the public sentiment upon any public question.

That his knowledge of the Colony, its conditions and requirements, and his famil iarity with precedents and rules of debate, made him a tower of strength to the unofficial members.

That to his keen and nuselfish interest in the pullic good, he added the enthusias. tic love of everything Scotch, and he reigned in the hearts of Scotchmen as their Chieftain to the last.

That the familiar figure of the hearty old gentleman will be greatly missed, and That the revenue might well be augmented his good-hearted kindnesses will perhaps be remembered even longer than his public services.

That it may be conceded that the management of the Pantomime would have done well had the Bishop been prevented from going 'on the stage.'

That it may likewise be conceded that the worthy ecclessisstic was the first to begin the war, and laid himself open to the return fire.

That you cannot well hit a clergyman without hitting his Church and his high

That most people thought the little flutter had ended before 'Civis' flashed upon the scene.

That in the old days of chivalry a knight paid respect to the Church, but to protect the fair fame of woman he would give his life.

That 'Civis' knows nothing of chivalry, because in order to bolster the Church he feebly tries to blacken the character of innocent ladice.

That none of the A. D. C. know who this gallant 'Civis' is, and it is perhaps as well that this 'brave knight' keeps be-

hind the hedge. That H. E. the Governor admitted, in hi remarks at Victo-ia College, that th was quite a stranger as it were in the

Colony. That this was perhaps the most accurate statement which he made.

That it was curious, and a little unfortunate, that the Governor should have hit upon the hottest period of the educational history of Hongkong, and picked version of that struggle.

That surely there was some one to inform Mr F. de Bovis (General Manager), Mr raising the yexed questions again.

proverb That the fees of Victoria College may per-

haps bear an increase; but the basis of education for Chinese must still be the native language, whatever may be grafted

lish, who is ignorant of his native lanto introduce a leaven of English civilisation among the population of the neighbouring Empire.

years in English, but Chinese and English stranger amongst us.

That most residents believe that Bir Wilto the late Mr. Ryrie will be amply justi-

That Mr E. R. Belilios, from his business training and local experience, should make a most useful M.L.C.

long residence, his interest in the pros-

of the late Senior Unofficial Member.

salve for the sore feeling which prevails. War Office has not been forgotten here, leeding six months you will find, besides Gottachalk, Mr J. W. Jones, Mr W.

Department. none has yet been given.

on \$27,000 with the information suppliod to the Finance Committee. That if we are to be called upon to merely

obey the beheats of the War Depart-That the deliberations of the Quarautine

Commission have resulted in a most sensible expression of opinion upon this much-vexed question. That as the Board included the officials per-

Colony, the recommendations made

sonally responsible for the health of the

legislation here. That the autumn leaves have been falling this week in the North as wall as in the

That while our oldest landmark has ceased to fill his accustomed place in this community, Shanghai has lost one of her most esteemed citizens, beloved by all. That the one whom Shanghai mourns needs no other epitaph than 'Rio jacet Robert Mackenzie.

That in these times of depression trade is Hongkong ought to be festered in every possible way.

and fire-cracker manufactories should not be as profitable here as in Macao.

by B dog tax. That in most cases they are articles de lux, beg to second the adoption of the report year all our earnings were discounted 10 and could well bear taxation.

That those lower in the scale are parishs,

and could well be spared. That the provisions of the new Shipping Ordinance governing private owned steam-launohes begin to be keenly felt. That the cost of inspecting and passing

That, as I previously pointed out, there is protect the public by a constant gets from its larger constituents. I have supervision of ferry and other hired very much pleasure in seconding the adopiaunches.

That launches which are kept by their of prosperity. (Applause.) private owners in perhaps a better condition than those of the Government should be taxed and made subject to all sorts of unnecessary tests, is absurd and

That if it be ture, as I hear, that the Shipping Ordinauce has to be amended in one or two particulars, then this ridicu ous provision affecting private launche should be modified.

BROWNIE.

ONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK

ING CORPORATION, LIMITED. The fifty-third half-yearly general meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong and there were also present: Messrs St. C. Keawick, Mesers T. E. Davies C. J. Holli- the last moment) :out a plum from the one-sided Hennessy day, H. Hoppius, A. McConachie, L. Poesnecker, and D. R. Sassoon (Directors), Skott (Capt.) His Excellency of the real issues of that John Walter (Inspector), Hon. C. P. Chater, Jeffrey educational fight, now so happily matter Hon, E. R. Belilios, Messrs V. A. C. Hawof past history, and to warn him against kine, H. E. R. Hunter, H. P. S. Green, D. Manuk (Capt) H. Mackintosh, C. J. Gonsalves, J. D. Hum. That Let sleeping dogs lie is a wholesome phreys, F. Henderson, E. V. Coxon, E. Ward Georg, W. H. Ray, S. A. Joseph, T. L.

permission I will take the Report and accounts That great progress has been made in recent as read. The past half year was, from a away the race. Manuk's crew, beautifully Chinese or semi-Chinese. In this school is banking point of view, most ungatisfactory. must go hand in hand, and the Governor The general slackness and depression in came in first by half-a length, Skott's crew is not English, and when they speak Engwill discover this when he is less of a trade, coupled with the steady drop in ex- being second and the other boats only a lab it is simply by compulsion. They are engaged in business in the East. During and Mr J. Sampson officiated as starter. limit Robinson's selection of a successor all that period money also remained very cheap and it was very difficult to find for it profitable and safe employment, more particularly as to India. 'Under such circumstances it must be expected that our profits would be adversely affected, and the directors That it would perhaps be too much to say | are glad that, after making large provision for bad and doubtful debts, they are enabled to recommend the usual dividend of 30/perity of the Colony, and his munificent (Applause.) You will have noticed in the gifts to the public deserved some reward. report that not withstanding the reduction That Mr Chater was most felicitons in his of the interest our deposits have still intemarks in Council upon the death of creared by 26 lace of dollars, and we have Mr Ryris, and almost eloquent in his consequently decided to take advantage of stiendance, especially of ladies. Among further reducing the rate in London, India, Mrs Burdon, Hon. E. R. Belilios, That the official muddle about the rate of and the Straits from 41 to 4 per cent. (Ap- Ju tice Fielding Clarke, Mr E. J. Ackreyd, exchange at which the Military Defence plause.) From this soutes the saving will Mr Granville Sharp, Dr Bateson Wright, Mulct is to be paid, is by no means a be considerable and will contribute mater. Dr Kitel, H. M. Inspector of Schools, Ray. That the previous collapse of the Colonial deposits have had time to run off. Com- Faber, Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, Rev. Office before the mighty influence of the paring the accounts with that of the pre- Rouceh, Rev. Mr. Lorcher, Rev.

although when this exchange question the increase of 26 lass in deposits, on the D. Braidwood, Mr Beavin, Mr Quincey, comes in the difficulty—are we to mix both was referred Home the Hongkong officials other; hand a decrease of over five millions Mr Haddon, Mr Corveth, Mr W. Howard, must have overlooked the fact that we in Bills Payable, and on the other side of (Amoy), Mr C. Britto, Mr Dames, Mrs. are practically governed by the War the account under the head of Bills Dis- Belilios, Mrs Flelding Clarke, Mrs Humcounted, Loans and Credits, a decrease of phreys, Mrs Sharp, Mrs Wright, Mrs Gil-That the public will look to Mr Whitehead six millions, and in Bills Receivable also a lies, Mrs Bennet, Mrs Roucen, Mrs Goldfor the explanation of this muddle, for decrease of nearly two millions, owing, I smith, Mrs Thomson, Mrs Hance, Mrs Da-I need hardly say, to smaller requirements vies, Mrs Arthur, Mrs Dyer Ball, Mrs That it is simply amorting that any official and to trade generally not being brisk. King, Mrs Witchell, Miss Taylor, Miss not take up anything else. He will be should expect business men to pass a There is only another item in the accounts Johnstone, Miss Hamper, Miss Ridley, vote of public money amounting to close to which I wish to refer and that is with Miss Eyre, Miss D'Aquino, Miss Olivera, regard to our securities. Your directors have Miss Sinnet. considered it desirable to sell R/ paper, and realize the profit thereon and to reinvest the money in Consols. All the Rs. 57,50,000 ment, where is the use of a civil govern- have already been disposed of and the reinvestment is being gradually effected. With regard to the case in Manile, I am very glad to inform the shareholders that yesterday evening we received a telegram stating that the first embargo has been removed by the Audiencia, and the sum of \$328,000 the full emount, returned to the Bank. (Applause.) It is probable that release of the second embargo will soon follow. (Applause.) We are greatly indebted to the Banco Espanol Fillipino and to the Spanish must carry sufficient weight to become authorities for the assistance they have rendered to the Bank in the matter. It will also please you to know, with regard to the That the enlightened views of guarantine Baring guarantee, that according to our (or rather observation) which obtain at London advice received by wire this morning Mr Lidderdale, the Governor of the Home will now become the principle of Bank of England, expressed the opinion that there will be no call on the guarantors. (Applause.) In conclusion I may add that although we are passing through a great depression in almost every part of the globs there is nothing in our advances to cause any undue anxiety and the Directors have every confidence in the future. (Applause.) Mr Walter has been making a most thorough inspection of the branches in the East and his reports have been so far satisfactory.

his signature as auditor. His services have been invaluable and the Directors deeply regret his less. Before moving the adoption That there is no resson why silk filatures of the report and accounts I shall be happy to answer any question that may be addressed to the chair. (Applause.) There were no questions, and the Chairman moved the adoption of the report and long-continued career of prosperity. I see no reason to doubt that it will, but if I may per cent. passed: in Reading portunity of doing so in any other way-I 94; Arithmetic, 80 per cent. would strongly suggest that the Bank Hongkong code requires more Arithshould continue to cultivate its small ac- metic than the English code; in fact it is counts and deal gently and kindly with its throughout one standard higher, e.g., a 11 small constituents during this present standard boy requires as much Arichmetic these well-kept boats threatens to be period of depression. As we hear that the as a III standard boy in England. The Bank expects to get interest at a more Inspector wrote this school is distinguished moderate rate, it will in this way be able to by uniformly good results in English pay it out at a very greatly increased rate | teaching (English Reading and Com-- every reason why the Government should of interest, a larger rate of interest than it

He is at present here on his way up North.

Since the report has been published, the

Bank has lost its oldest auditor. Mr Ryrie

the Bank once more a long-continued career The motion for the adoption of the report and accounts was carried unanimously. Hog. E. R. Belilius proposed the reelection of Hop. J. J. Keswick and Messr T. E. Davies and H. Hoppius as Directors. was carried unanimously.

tion of the report and accounts, and I wish

Hon. C. P. Chater proposed the re-election was carried unanimously.

ness before the meeting, and I thank you, gentlemen, for your attendance.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

SCRATON FOURS RAUE. A scratch fours race, under the auspices of of the Victoria Recreation Club, took place | tributing prizes. Shanghai Banking Corporation was held at this afternoon. The distance was one mile; the City Hall to-day. Mr J. S. Moses, over the usual course. The water was very Chairman of the corporations presided, and humpy and made good rowing difficult The following four craws entered, (ons Michaelsen (Deputy Chairman), Hop. J. J. them, the winning crew, being made up at amongst us with Lady Rubinson, and would

Friedrichs Dungan Hensley Leck Potts (Capt. Thumpson Hayward . At the start Sanders' crew got off with

Rose, H. Joseph, M. S. Sassoon, J. M. E. lead, Manuk's crew being last. This posi- I am in hopes we may provide him for next R. M. Moses, G. H. Potts, R. T. Wright, of the course, when Sander's crew came to G. Stokes, T. E. David, G. T. Veitch, F. advantage of being on the inside, then That a Chinese with a knowledge of Eng. T. P. Fester, D. Haskell, J. J. Bell-Irving, put on a slight spurt and gradually get R. M. Gray, T. F. Hough, E. Jones Hughes, level with the leading boat. From this the other day. You come here and find a guige, is a monstrosity, and is not likely J. M. G. Manuk, H. Humphreys, E. H. I point it was a ding-dong race between The Chairman said-Gentlemen, with your lish, when Sanders' cox began to steer a most erratic way, which practically gave change, have been most severely felt by all length or two behind. Mr Lows was judge in the school-room and are taught in Eng-

DIOCESAN HOME AND ORPHANAGE ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

place this afternoon at the Diosesan Home and Orphanage. Prior to the arrival the Governor, the life band of the Home arrival of His Excellency, played National Anthem. His Excellency Sir William Robinson, who was accompanied by Lady Robinson, presided at the distribution of prizes. There was a large ially to our earnings whom all the old C. D. Hamilton, Rev. John Grundy, Dr

Mr Piercy, Headmaster, read the annual

report which was as follows: -It was with con-

derable diffidence that we decided to have

the annual public prize distribution in the present diamantled state of the building; our filends will, however, make allowances for learn Chinese. It is a more name and the dist and disorder inteparable from premises overrun by Chinese workmen and c olies. By another year we hope to have our new wing completed and to bo able to welcome the friends of the Institution in a far larger and more convenient room than this. It was announced last prizegiving that one of our pupils, F. Southey, had won the Government Scholarship of £200 a year for 4 years. He proceeded to Lindon in April and duly entered the school of Practical Engineering at the Crytal Pa aco; our beat thanks are due to Your Excellency for lately forwarding for we must give up the whole time to it; and our information the Crown Agents' letter if the boys want to learn Chinese they (Drums) .- J. A. B. Shuster, Blotting Book. reporting that at the Ohristmas examinating their own way of learning it. Good Conduct:-T. Hunter, French Pictures. Southey had attained the eighth place in failure. In this school Chinese is taught Mechanical Engineering and the second in for about eight hours a week. That is a Drawing. In July, T boys entered for the mere nominal thing and does met go to Oxford University Local Examination : 8 passed, viz., 2 in the Senior examination. thus attaining the title of Associate in Arts (A.A.); 3 in the Junior; 3 as Juniors over age. T. Cook, F. H. Benning and C. Wanderleach were specially distinguished in English, including Shakespeare. Our numbers increased from 138 to 148 (including 11 girls). Exclusive of boys who had already has been connected with this Corporation 98.96. since its foundation; and I believe almost passed the VI or highest standard (a VII all the accounts that have been issued bear standard as in the English code is very urgently needed), and boys who the Inspector thought had better remain in the same standard for another year, to avoid the least possibility of overpressure. 72 were examined: 70 passed, being 8 more than last year. The grant earned is \$1053.95, an increase of 7 per cent. We are glad to know that for the first time in several years the amount for Education in the Colonial Estimates is Mr J. D. Humphreys-Mr Chairman, I sufficient to pay all grants in full; last and accounts, and in doing so I wish to per cent. In English, History, Grammer, express the hope that the Bank will have a Composition, Writing, Euclid, Physical Geography and Animal Physiology 100 heard the report read with make a suggestion publicly—there is no op- Dictation, 98; Geography, 96; Algebra,

position) and in special subjects. Algebra, Physical Geography and Anima Physiology. At the anggestion of a gentleman in business, Shorthand and Typewriting have been included in the curri

culum; and a prize has been given by well-known journalist. The Scripture examination was conducted by the Reverenda D. Hamilton and J. Grandy, who wrote the work has been well-done throughout: the list of marks shows a very fair per cent. Mr R. M. Gray seconded, and the motion | ago in all but a very few cases.' It is with great sorrow that I have to report that the newly appointed Third Master Mr T. W. of Messes F. Henderson and F. T. P. Foster | Hall succumbed to a short but very severe attack of fever, and died in the Civil Mr G. Stewart seconded, and the motion | Hospital on 30th October. Mr W. C. Barlow of Victoria College has again rendered us The Chairman-This concludes the busi- valuable assistance. Mr W. Machell, after nearly five years most efficient service as Second Master, has resigned and will go to the Victoria College. A new Master is expected shortly from England and other ar rangements are being made. Our thanks are due to Hon, E. R. Belilios, Mesars G. C. Cox, J. D. Humphreys, G. Sharp, W.

Quincey and W. Machell for kindly con-Bishop Burdon, at the conclusion of the presentation of the prizes, said-Before asking your Excellency to say a few words of encouragement to us. I aret of all would think you for your kindness in coming also thank all the other friends who have courage the boys by showing there is an interest taken in them by the community. Excellency saw the other day in the the then Bishop offered to take over the IL, a comparative statement for the past Tea; for Buston, 201 place Merchandres Viotoria College, but we hope to make a better show next fear after we have not the additional wing to our buildings. I think we have no cause to be ashamed of the School. It has done well in the past and I think there is every promise will do well in the future (applause). have provided the Government Scholer and Machado, De Westley Layton, C. Inchbald, tion was maintained for about a quarter year; but whatever it be we feel that the achool is doing good. I do not know who ther you will allow me to say a few words. W. Bomsey, A. P. Stokes, G. Stewart, And the front. Manuk's crew, who had the sir, about the difficulty of education in Hongkong. I believe it is exercising your Excellency's mind, and you made a reference to the subject at the Victoria College

large number of schools, and at the same time there does not seem to be very much Manuk, Skott and Sanders till, near the fin- increase in the knowledge of the English in language. It has got to be remembered in the first place that there are dissovantages of a very peculiar nature. The boys are mostly stroked and steered, then took the lead and is a mixture of both. It is really a Eurasian school. Consequently, their language lish, and have to keep their wits abou them to try and understand what is said On going into the playground or in mixing themselves to speak English; and therefore it is an exceedingly difficult thing to ge The annual distribution of prizes took any advance in this English education here. Another difficulty we are in in that the masters who mustly are engaged of in this work do not know Obinese I know Mr May of the Central School took it it up on his own account and of his own accord a long time ago when he came to the the Colony to a school of mine. He its persevered and has made himself exceedingly

proficient in it. Now, without a knowledge of Chinese, English wannes be thoroughly taught. The boys get a mere amattering of English, and the teacher cannot explain to them in their own language what the lesson given for the Queen, the Governor, and means. They have to get at it themselves Lady Robinson. Thereafter, so adjournteferences to the character and services the slackness of the money market by those present were Bishop Burdon and and they get it wrong very likely. They ment was made to the playground, where have no enthusiasm in Roglish except as a the boys were exercised in musical and with a gain to the Treasury of \$204,75, a BAROMETER- 9 A.M.... matter of getting on. The hoys want to get | physical drill. into a position of beltering themselves. That should be a strong motive, and Oxford University Local Examination. atill, when a boy is young, he does

> not realized it so much. Therefore. (100); Chew Tan-lim. there are many reasons why we have to be very patient with the scholars. Another thing that must by beene is mind is that no Chinese can be considered educated unless he knows his own books. Thus

systems of education? English would take all the time a boy has in order to get a were smattering of it; but he wants in addition to learn a little Chinese. It h my opinion that both languages cannot be learnt together. I have had experience of Chinese for nearly forty years and my experience goes to show this that if a lac III Form .- 1. Kong Ying-pui, Great Naval wants to be thoroughly acquainted with Chinese he must go in for it entirely and considered an uneducated man in own country if he does not know Ohmese, but he has to make his choice between that and learning comething of English. In my present school-in which Lam hoping for a master from England to help the Chinese master who has bad it for many years—I have only English taught, for I believe it would be a waste of time to

or three or four hours for Chinese, -- for the Chinese are very persevering; they use very little mind in their learning, and so it is not so wearing as the study of Englishstill it is not likely that it will be ever of any advantage to them. My principle is, I teach them English, -they are taught English all the time they are in school -if they want to learn Chinese they must provide the means of learning it for themselves and do what they can. we are to be successful in teaching English To attempt to teach both is to court VI Standard Certificates. H. Hastings make them Chinese schola's Sill it has the name of keeping them up in some little knowledge of their own character. At the same time. I think this school cannot be considered to have failed when we sout out last year a boy, who, when he came to us, had exceedingly little knowledge of English. and who this year or a short time ago was able to hold his own with English-speaking boys in England and come out eighth in the examination (hear, hear, and applause). His Excellency said My Lord Bishop,

ladies and gentlemen. I am very much obliged to his Lordship for having expressed himself so kindly with regard to the attendance of myself and Lady Robinson here this morning. I need not say it affords me a great deal of pleasure to come. has been said. The hope of a country is in its young: and if such is the case, as I believe it is, it is the duty of the Governor of any important Colony to do his besthis very best to further education in every possible way (applause). I come here as a duty, and a duty mixed with a great deal of pleasure. All must have astisfaction. The Bishop speaks very feelingly of this school and hopes there has been no failure in the past. I must say I look upon it as one of the most efficient and effective schools in the Colony so far as my experience goes, and under the very able management which is curried on here it will. I think, maintain its high standard in the future. (Applause). We must all have been very much interested in what the Bishop said of learning Chinese and English together. It has been pointed out by Dr Rifel that it is impossible these two languages can be learned side by side. My reason for urging the learning of English is that we hope English will be the governing language of the future. Bishop, I see, shakes his head at that, in Trinidad, where the inhabitanta speak mainly Spanish and French, no Spanish is

although the Bishop thinks it is impossible to learn Ohinese and English together I am glad to know English is to be the curriculum of the school he has es ablished. am glad the Bishop has not asked us today merely to witness the presentation of that our interest in the school should be deepened, and I am not sure that the almighty dollar has something to do with it (laughter). I have an idea that he will not be disentiafied if he sees the amount of subscriptions increased. If you look at Mr Keswick's report you will see the total expense of the school is \$11. 00 a year. Out of that the school fees amount to \$8930. The Government grant is onl \$1050 and the total amount of annual subscriptions is \$1250. Therefore, your exchequer cannot be said to be overflowing. and you will be glad to see a large number of additional names to your subscription vicinatudes-I know that from a letter the Bishop wrote a few months before I camo hero and its present position shows what say come of persevering effort (applation).

taught in the Government Schools; and

Il was in such unancial difficulties in 1869 pd volume of trade and the decrease of the that the Committee of ladies by whom it had | foreign junk trade. been managed up to that time resolved, and school. It was either to be closed entirely. or the Bishop had to take it up. The Bishop and the Colonial Score. ary took it up and undertook the entire management. It was a mixed sobool for boys and girls, and it was found this would I Year. Junks Inot do, go it was reconstituted again in 1880, and two years ago it was changed From a mixed achool to what it is now, a 1888..... 2,670 school. Within the last few nouths the Government has recognised under the title of the Diocesan Home and Orphanage, and the lease held from the Government has been endorsed so as to give it legal designation. have nothing more to say except to congratulate the boys who have carried off prizes. It is a pleasant thing to see so many young fellows coming up to receive | The average for the three years 1887-1889 the reward of merit. Many have been inclusive, it will be seen, is licensed vessels disappointed in not getting prizes they earnestly strove for, but to these I say don't be disheartened, try sgain. Palmeraton, of whom you have probably total of \$19,720. read, said, in one of his many clever speeches, a man's career was generally divided in two portions, -one a period of the proportions are therefore as follows :success, and the other a period of failure. And he said the period of failure was the time which proved the stuff a man or boy was made of. If he endeavoured to retrieve his position in the time of failure success would almost certainly follow. This school has got over its period of failure owing to the efforts of Bishop Alford and Bishop Burdon, and is now experiencing a period of success; and I am sure I express the feeling of all present when say we feel its future prosperity ensured and that we trust it will go on inoreasing. (Applause). I am very glad

I think, given \$5000 towards the extension of this echool and a new wing will shortly be added which will be of great use to the efficient management of the school, floud

also to say the Government has, liberally

Senior :- T. Clock, with honours in English, money thereog put out of circulation.

Haglish (22); C. Wanderleach, with hon- gain to steam rs, but hitherto main to both ours in English (161); W. Toller; J. ships and junks has gone on side by Goodridge; Lo Pok-shing; P. W. Quincer, side with profit to the Colonial Treasury

PRIZE LIST. Form Prizes. VI Form .- 1. T. Cook, Shakespeare; 2, Lan Ping-hi. Norwegian Pictures. Form.-I. Wong Mau-lam. Boy's Own Annual; 2, W. Leung, Old Roman Stories. IV Form .- 1. W. Burns, Atalanta; 2, H. the years through), and increasing com-Gidley, Stories of Old England.

Battles: 2. Ch'an Hwok-tin. Tules of II Form -1, Chea Sun-tun, Little Wide In the 3rd quarter of 1891, indeed, 2, E. Leung, Play Hours. SCHIPTURE PRIZES.

VI Form .- 1. F. H. Benning. The Caliphate: 2. F. Lapsley, God's Glorious foreign V Form.—A. Simoës, Australian Pictures. IV Form .- H. Zwarg. The Franklins. III Form .- W. Beavin, Young Sir Richard. nothing else. The boys may get a couple II Form .- S. Gidley, The Sign of the Blue

> I Form. -J. Lowrie, Our Darlings. Shorthand and Type-writing .- F. H. Benning, A Silver Watch. Mathematics and Physiography.-H. Hastings, My Friend Smith. Algebra and Physiology. Fok Kam-in, tions from out stations for December are Harold, the Boy Earl. Ruclid and Algebra. - H. Gidley. Kidnap- lof each year and so are reckoned in the

Band : (Fifes) .- 1, W. Toller, Pocket Knife; 2. W. Wanderleach, Writing Deak. Lan Ping-hi; T. W. Quincey; F. Lapsley; II. Dieroks.

THE HONGKONG JUNK TRADE IN 1891.

The following report on the Junk Trade for 1891 was laid on the table of the Legislative Council on Thursday:-Harbour Department,

Sir, -In continuation of former correspondence marginally noted, I have the or turning grey, and is the best brilliantine honour to furnish herewith statistics of the for everbody's use, being not too greasy or 2. These remarks and statistics are not included in the 'annual report,' in which. being a document usually for publication.

Hongkong, 11th, January, 1892.

it might be considered inexpedient that they should appear. of this colony renders it a great distribut- den, London. ing centre; the large trade focussing here reaches its terminal markets partly in coasting steamers and partly in junke. the 2,753 European constructed vessels visiting the part in 1890, fifteen hundred and twenty-eight, or considerably more than half, and this half nearly double the size in tonnage ship for ship of the other moiety, were vessels visiting the port twelve times of less, i.e., craft bringing trade acting as feeders to the colony, not as distributing agents, that necessary part being performed by the remaining smaller vessels plying to the port more than 12 times in the year. In the same year 28,343 junks in foreign trade with a total tonuage of 1.786.038 (or roughly speaking half the figures shown in para- 7.30 A.M.; and on the 4th, at the Evening graph 3 of the Annual Report, those quoted there being the total in and out)

assisted in the distribution of trade from this centre. Taking the totals of the report, of 194 million tons, about two-thirds. or 61 millions, were the fueders, and onethird, or 31 millions, the distributors, assisted by 34 million tons of junks. The European vessels being for the most part steamers of course carried by far the lirgest portion of the trade. The year 1890 was a bad one for the rice trade. at was also 1891, and in the first named the number of small European ateamers competing with Junks became very marked and has Blackwoodware, 10 cases Bruties, 2 cases not decreased. 4. - In the year 1890, eight thousand two option Hamburg, 285 cases Camphor and 2

hundred and nineteen European constructed vessels with a total of 9.771.741 tons passed through the port, giving employment to 46,686 junks aggregating 3,572,079 tons in foreign trade and 9,082 junks, making up 832,473 tons, in local trade, i.e., the ports 5.—In 1891, the corresponding numbers are European vossels 8,707 measuring

10,279,043 tops, or an increase of 488 ships with 507,302 tons, and junks in foreign trade 45,403 with a total tonnage of 3,263,118 tons, or a decrease in numbers of 1,283 junks representing 308,091 tons. At the same time the junks in local trade run up lists. This school has gone through many to 11,930, equivalent to 463,537 tons, or an increase over the previous year numbering 2,848 junks aggregating 131,064 tons. is not credible that the increase of the local traffic satisfactorily accounts for the increas.

> 6,-Attention is now invited to Table five years of licensed junks and licensed for New York 35 bales Raw Silk, Babing jonks. The numbers and the revenues derived from the junk trade are as

7.—Special permits are the monthy re-

from reporting on each separate occasion of arriving taken out by licensed junks when in the waters of the Colony. Fishing junks take these licences every six months only. 2.562, the revenue derived directly therefrom in licences \$8,000.25 and in permits \$597.75 a total of \$8,598 out of a grand 28.—For the average of three years 1887 to

1889 inclusive and the years 1890 and 1091 Incensed Revenue. Total junk 1887-89 ...2 563 8,598

1890 ...2,977 9,956 - 22,397.75 1801 ...3,332 10,821.25 22,602.50 9.—The proportion of revenue derived On New York from unlicensed junks, therefore, it will be seen, by no means increases pro rula as that from licensed junks. Taking the year 1890 and 1891 as examples the tonnage returns, also beer this out. It may be said as more unks are licensed there are fewer unlicens. ed ones to take out Anchorage Patses. Clearances, don ; but comparison of the years of 1889 and 1890 disposes of that

10.--In 1890, 285 more vessels were licensed than in 1889, the revenue increased \$3,000 and the foreign junk trade ross 154,748 tone, and the local 49,103 directly, On the call of the boys cheers were no doubt, due to an increase in European tonnage of 799,751 tons. 111 In 1891, with an increase of half a

million tons 355 more junks were licensed decrease in the foreign junk trade of three handred thousand tone and an increase in the local funk trade, of 130,000 or a net loss of 170,000 tons, to say nothing of the 12.—That thus me no loss to the carry-Junior :- F. H. Benning, with honours in ling trade, of course, is patent, rather a

from both; consolidating the earnings of one or other means proportionate loss to

the revenue. 13.—In the years under review the conditions have been the same : a steady increase in Ocean-borne traffic, bad rice trade (taking petition from smal steam vessels, but under ordinary circumstances the increase of the great source of supply, the Ocean trade was sufficient to preserve the equilibrium. Awake . 2. Fan Kun. Arctic Adventures. | as is shown in letter No. 529 dated 15th I Form .-- 1. Li Chan-hi, Four Feet by Two; October, not alone was the rice trade good. but a fictitious impetus had been given to. the junk trade by the quarrels of the Chinese Custom Houses, native and

> 14.—In that quarter there is a loss as shown in the statement attached (Table V.) of \$28.75, though all conditions save the preventible one were favourable. 15.—Tables III, to VI. represent quarterly statements of the junk trade. The total amonats for 1890 and 1891 are respectively \$22,559.50 and \$22,700.00. The apparent discrepancy between thatand the amounts heretofore given as the jour revenue for the years under review is accounted for by the fact that the colleconly received four or five days after the end ollowing year.

16.—Table VII. is the monthly comparative statement for December and also the yearly one for 1890 and 1891. 17.—The only controllable causes of the depression of the junk trade are the suppression of the system of espionage established by the Chinese Customs in Hong. kong, and the preservation of the neutrality of British waters.—I have the honour to be, sir, your obedient servant.

W. C. H. HASTINGS, Acting Harbour Master, &c. Honourable W. M. Goodman, Acting Co. lonial Secretary, &c., &c., &c.

ROWLANDS' MACASSAR OIL preserves and strengthens the hair, prevents it falling off too drying palso sold in a golden colour for fair haired ladies and children: bottles 3s. 6d., 7s., 10s. 6d. ROWLANDS EURONIA is a pure and fragrant toilet powder, in three tine-white, rose, and cream; /ls. and 2s. 6d, boxes. Ask any dealer in perfumery 3. The favourable geographical position for Rowlands' articles, of 20. Hatton Gar-

RELIGIOUS SERVICES :-

ST. John's Cathedral .- Parade Service at 8.30 A.M. (Holy Communion 2nd and 4th Sundays.) Matins at 11. Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays in the month. Evensong at 5.45. UNION CHURCH, Kennedy Road,-Min-

ister Rev. G. H. Bondfield.-Services at 11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M. St. Peter's Seamen's Church. Sailors Home, -- Service on Sunday, at 11 A.M. and 6.30 P.M. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month at 11 A.M.; on the 2nd and 5th at

St. JOSEPH'S CHUROH. Garden Road. 9 A.M. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Evening Service. Benediction. GERMAN BETHERDA CHAPEL -Service in the German language, by Rev. R. Gottschalk every Sunday, at 11 A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

EXPORT CARGOES. Per S. S. Bellong sailed 19th February

-From Hougkong : for Havre 10 pkgs Essential Oil, 75 pkgs. Star-sniseed, 6 cases Silks and 10 cases Sundries; for Havre cases Sundries : for Hamburg. 227 cases Preserves. 20 boxes Essential Oil, 172 bales Foathers, 53 cases Isinglass, 114 pkgs. Canes, 231 pkgs. Sundries, 3 pkgs. Paper, 2 cases Silks, 824 cases Camphor, 10 boxes Bristles, 25 cases Fans, 200 cases Caseia and 420 cases Cassia Buds : for Hamburg option London, 85 boxes Essential Oil; for London, 20 cases Essential Oil ; for Lisbon, 6 pkgs. Sundries ; for Oporto, 3 pkgs. Sundries. 11 cases Blackwoodware. 1 case Chinaware and 5 cases Eathenware. Per S. S. Oceanic, sailed 19th February -For Yokohama, 4,500 bags Sugar and

587 pkgs. Morchandise ; for Honolulu, 426. bags Beans, 430 bags Rice, 833 pkgs. Merchandise and I case Silks for San Francieco, 38,106 bags Rice, 185 bags Bears Onione, 10 cases Silks, 114 bates Connies 1.000 bales Hemp, 76 pkgs. Tes and 7,042 pkgs. Merchandise; for Chicago, 489 pkg.

Quotations. Honakana, Fob. 27, 1892. OPIUM-New Patus, cash,... 544 New Benares, cash, 524 New Malwa credit, 510 Allowance, Catties, .-Old Malwa, credit., 510/40 Allowance, Catties, 2/4 Persian, Oily, cash, 330/50 Allowance, Catties, 1. Persian, Paper tied 350/80 Allowance, Outlies, Exchange.

Hongsong, February 27 Documentary, I months' sight, Credits, 4 months sight. On Berlin-On demand, ... 711 Oredits, 60 days' sight. On Bombay-On Calcuttan Shanghai— On demand. 80 days' sight, private paper, Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per taul) Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) 2 0,70 Temperature.

(Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) 1 P.M.... 62 4 P.M.... (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 59 1 P.M. 61 4 P.N. --Do. Da. Minimum aver night 60

THE SMALL WORRIES OF LIFE. forgot easily, and is given to brooding; nor traction, whereas a woman's lot is tore thy, whereas he can hardly count upon former, the merely mental worries a man's traction, whereas a woman's lot is tore thy, whereas he can hardly count upon former, the merely mental worries a man's is she so swift to run away from her trough main at home and think. Indeed, we should much help or sympathy from his wife when natural impatience of suffering comes

STOCKS.

Banks.

Hougkong & Shanghai Bank-)

National Bank of China, Ld., ..

Marine Insurances,

Union Insurance Society of

Canton, Limited

Yangteze Insur. Association, Ld. S

Cauton Insurance Office, Ld. ...

Straits Insurance Co. Ld......

Hongkong Fire Insur. Co., Ld. 8

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. \$

Shipping.

Hongkong, Canton & Macao }

Steam-boat Co., Limited

China & Manila S. S. Co., Ld. S

China Mutual S. N. Co.

Steam Launch Company, Ld. ..

Befineries.

China Sugar Refining Co., Ld.

Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld. &

Punjom Dua Samantan Min-

Société Française des Char-

Selama Tin Mining Com-1

Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ld.

Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ld. 3

Docks. Wharves & Godowns.

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf)

Wanchai Warehouse & Stor- 1

Land, Hotels & Building. Hongkong Laud Investment &)

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Agency Company, Ld. . . J

Company, Ld.

Kowloon Land and Building

West Point Building Co., Ld...

Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited ...

Auslin Arms Hotel & Building 1

Company, Limited

Miscellaneous.

China-Borneo Co., Ld., in liq. .

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited

Hongkong Trading Co., Ld. :

H. G. Brown & Co., Limited .. |\$

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited \$

Labuk Planting Co., Limited . .

Hongkong & China old issue & Gas Co., Limited new ,,

HK. Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 3

Geo. Fenwick & Co.; Limited .

Hongkong Ice Co., Limited ...

Hongkong High-Level Tram-

ways Company, Limited

Hongkong Brick and Cement

Company, Limited

Dairy Farm Co., Limited

Crnickshank & Co., Limited

H'kong & China Bakery Co., Ltl.;

Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited

Loans to Imperial Chinese Government.

Chinese Imperial Govt. 8% Silver Loan 1884 C

Chinese Imperial Govt. 7% Silver Losn 1886 E

Debentures.

H.K. Hotel Co. 6% Mortgage Debentures 1869

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co.

China Merchants S. H. Co. 7% Mortgage

Société Française des Charbonnages du Tou-

Q.-I. Cement Co. 8 % Mortgage Debentures...

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Limited....

Company, Ld. New Issue . .

Humphreys' Estate & Finance

New Issue...

Green Island Cement Company | g - 1,000,000

H'kong &W hampon Dock Co., Ld. &

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Raub Australian Syndicate, Ld. £ 1,000,000

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Co., Limited

Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ld. \$ 2,000,000

Singapore Insurance Co., Ld. .. \$ 3,000,000

Indo-China Steam Navigation } £ 1,200,000

Douglas Steamship Co., Ld. .. \$ 1,000,000

Do. new issue,

Fire Insurances.

ing Corporation

Bank of China, Japan & Straits, £ 1.009,000

Founders

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld. 3 2,000,000

North China Insurance Co., Ld. £ 1,000,000

" New issue .. [Ld. £ 1,000,000]

(Founders)

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Amount of Loan.

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To be redeemed on

\$160,000 to be drawn 19/4/93

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H.K. & B'hai \$1,594,700 Hongkong Currency.

-- Shanghai Tls. 767,200.

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none

100 \$

100 \$

First year

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bles as a man is. Indeed, the cannot be | say that very's much was owing to the | his own soul is vexed by the short-coming easily induced to run away from them at greater opportunity that a woman possesses of his clerk or the stupidity of his groom.

Last Dividend and Johen paid.

6,300,000|30/- for 1-year ending 30/6/91, Aug. 24, 91

100,000|4/- per share, Feb. 14, 91

First year

320,000 10 per cent. for 1889

100 approx.\$455,131.46 \$6 per share for 1889, March 12, 90

£8, February 14, 91

800,000 26 per cent. for 1890, Oct. 12, 91

700,000 18 per cent. for year ending 31/4/80, Sept. 18, 91

550,000 Int. div. of 10 % for 1891, paid Jan. 4, 92

1,060,000 \$18 per share for 1889, March 9, 91.

779,000|30 per cent. for 1690, Feb. 29, 92

60,000 83 per cent. for 1889, March 27, 91

21 per cent. for 1890, June 1, 91

2,384.17.5 \ October 14 and 24, 1891.

25,000 5 per cent. for year ending 31/12/90, July 4, 91

9,000 4 per cent. for 3 year ending 31/12/01, Feb. 1, 92

200,000 5 per cent. for year ending 30/0/91, Sept. 28, 91

Int. div. \$6 per share, Aug. 28, 91

\$8 per share for 1890, March 28, 91

3 per cent. for 3-year ending 30/6/91, Sept. 1, 91

7 per cent. 4-year ending 5/8/91, Oct. 15, 91

7 per cent. ½-year ending, Aug. 25, 91

paid 8th Feb., 1892

822,406.61 . 81 % for 1891, Jan. 26, 92

60 cents, July 20, 91

Final div. 3 per cent .== 7 per cent. per ann., 1891,

31% for 1-year ending 31/12/01, paid 28/1/92

1,250,000 Final dividend of \$21 per share, making total of

4 per cent. for 1-year ending 30/8/91

140,000 Int. Div., 7 per cent. for 1891, Nov. 5, 91

6 per cent. for 1890, April 1, 9t

25,000 \$6 per share for 1890, March 24, 91

1,000 7 per cent, for 1890, March 11, 91

April 9, 91

Int. div., \$2 per shore, Sept. 9, 91

14,326.4.8 10 per cent. for 1890, and 24 per cent. bonus.

24 per cent. for 1891, paid Feb. 12, 1892

419.30 3 per cent. for year ending 1891, paid Feb. 17, '92

\$5 per share for 1890, March 17, 1891

Par Value of Bonds.

\$500 H'kong Currency

Shanghai Taels 230.

20,06 14 per cent. for 1890 April 17, 91

2,661.53 50 cents p. share, 4-year end. 30/6/91, Sept. 7, 91

lut, div. of 2 % prem. for 6 months to 30/6/91, f £10, nominal

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Men and women meet the small tropbles all; the contemplation of them has a fatal of contemplating her worries and brooding. The ills of which we have been speaking of life very differently. In the first place, fascination for her. In any small misfor, ever them, Yet it is hardly fair to assume are those accidental ones which affect the a woman often lacks that sense of propor. tune which falls equally upon husband and that because a woman appears to be more mind and not the body. When it comes tion which is necessary to distinguish the wife, in nine cases cut of ten where the affected by small worries that therefore she to questions of the miner like that affect lesser from the greater ille; to her, all man resolutely refuses to remember it and has more to bear. There are plenty of the body, the case is entirely reversed. troubles are of the greatest magnitude, and hastens to turn his thoughts into some small worries outside those of the house, Here a woman will show an infinitely to be mourned equally. The failure of a other channel, the woman will seem to take which last, we admit, fall mostly to the greater and more admirable patience than new dress, or of a dinner party, are almost a perverse pleasure in recalling it to woman's share—indeed, in the actual share a man does, and while he regen impotently calamities ofer which she will sometimes her mind and reflecting upon its actual and ing of these little wees, we should say that against some small ache or pain, she will worry herself into a fever. Most men possible consequences. Much of this difference in the most stoical and resigned would meet similar troubles with a shrug of rence in their demeasonr is, of course, when the rook is importment, or a chimney silence. It is certainly curious how difference when the rook is importment, or a chimney silence. the shoulders, and then speedily forget due to the difference of their life. A man smokes, the master of the house is almost ently the small worries of mind and body them. Then, a sain, a woman does not can easily run out of doors and seek dis- always called in to lend his aid and sympa- affect the two sexes. In the case of the

Closing Quotations.

155 % prem , cellers

\$11, sales & sellers

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\$102, seliers

\$190, buyers

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\$108, buyers

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\$310, sellers

\$17, sales

\$9, sales

\$352, sales

\$30, sellers .

\$166, sellers

\$56, nominal

\$2, sellers

\$350, sales

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\$1, nominal

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\$10, nominal

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When Payable.

15 Oct, each year notil 1892

and 19th October.

30th June and Slot Dec.

31st Mehl and 30th Sept. each Tis. 275, buyers year until 31st Mar. 1917.

Half yearly, on let April and \$250, ashers

Quarterly up to 1st Sept., 95 | £101, buyers

Half yearly, on 19th April 8500

1896 or earlier at option of \$100 Co. on 6 months notice

Closing Quetations

\$5083, buyers

\$6, nom.

\$118, sales and buyers

88, sellers

87 % prem., sales and sellers

\$84 ex div., buyers

25 % discount, buyers

Hongkong, Saturday, 4 p.m., 27th February, 1892.

really to his aid. He at once assures him. self that the matter cannot be helped or remedied, and therefore that it is of uo use troubling himself over it; he resigns himself to the inevitable, or rather, towhat he chooses to consider as inevitable. and successfully hastens to forget it and think of something else. A wemen's patlence rather stands in her way. She cannot bring herself to think that the matter is inevitable, and even though she can see possible remedy, she will trouble and vex herself with vain effort to right the wrong, or to prove to her own satisfaction that she has been ill and unjustly treated. Take the absurdly small case of an extortionate cahman. A man, who should be far better able to cope with him, impatiently throws

him the extra sixpence, and refuses to bother himself about such a ridiculous sum. A woman's whole soul is up in arms at the idea of the injustice that is being done to her, and nothing will induce her to take another sixpence from her well-filled purse. This attitude of hers, of course, is partly due to the fact that she has a better understanding of the value of sixpences, but it is a good deal more due to her keener sense of justice, wherever she is concerned, and her patient determination to accept nothing less than justice. A man will sit quiet under a misconception which is unimportant, and affects neither his honour nor his reputation. Hardly ever our a woman bring herself do that; she would rather worry herself to death than allow her friends to remain unonlightened. Under what is really inevitable, she is most patient—and a man is very often most impatient. Under what

impatient—and a man is, by reason of his impatience, most patient.—Spectator. THIS WILL BETTLE THE QUESTION. I don't believe there is a word of truth in it. That's the way certain foolish people talk when they hear of anything unusual, or outside the limits of their own observation or experience. They are of the sort who laughed at Staphenson when he introduced the railway,, and at Morse when he said that we could communicate by means of electricity. Yet they don't laugh at those things now. They make use of them

is not inevitable, she is most patiently

Some months ago the case of Mrs Mary accepted the facts, as they had every reason to do. Others, a very few (professional men perhaps) pretended to doubt, and sent emissaries to inquire of the lady herself whether her allegations had hot been added to, or altered, for the sake of popular effect. Here is her answer ! She repeats what she at the first said, and puts a quietus on all who: called her words in question. It will be ob-

served that her statement is as plain and solemn as languago can make it. I, Mary Cuddy, of 28, Catherine Street, Rich. mond Road, Leeds, do solamnly and sincerely Ever since I was a girl I have suffered from

declare as follows :--iliness. I always had a pain both before and after eating, and never seemed able to gain and keep my strength, and falt that something was pulling me down. I had a nasty queer feeling in my stomach. Sometimes food sesmed to sass it; and at other times it made me feel worse, and offen I went without food, for I was afraid to cal Commonly when food was placed before me I could not touch it, and often fainted at the very eight of it. After a while I became so weak I could scarcelinated or walk. I thought it was comsumption coming on by degrees and I took all sorts of medicines to try and get relief, but it was of no use, and I got tired of taking physic, for I had lost all faith in it. My husiness was so urgent that was compelled to be at work, otherwise I would have laid in bed, so weak had I become. With the weakness and loss of appetite there were other feelings and signs that were but and alarmed me greatly. Among them were these:

A yellowish colour of the akin and eyes, sometimes a cold clammy perspiration, pains and sches in the sides, the chest and back, headache, a kind of wind or gas coming up into my throat and mouth that was so sour and sickening ! could scarcely hear it. Once in a while I would have a strange fluttering and palpitation that made me think my heart must be affected. My heart would thump so that I foared it would jump out of its place, and I have had to walk about the room for two or three hours at a time, for I could not sit or lies. The pain was so severe that I have asked my hasband if he could not hear my heart thumping as I walked about. I always slept badly at night, and irequently had horrible dreams, and was so melancholy and depressed in spirits that I would sit down and cry, for I got no pleasure as time dragged wearily by. I had so little energy or strength that it was all I could do to sammon courage for the labour upon which the family (at least in part) depended for support. I am a how hard my life was, for I didn't think it would

tast much longer. Not long ago (May, 1687) made up my mind to try a medecine that i advertised and known all over the country. mean Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup. I had no faith in it at first, for how can one believe in what one knows nothing shout? I bought and tried Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup only because of its reputation. How could so many people. I asked mysof, praise a medicine so much if it had no virtue. I can only say that I found what they said to be true. After beginning with the Syrup, relief soon followed. My food digested better and gave me strength, and by persevering with it all my pains disappeared. I could eat my food with a relish, and everything agreed with me. Now and again when, through confinement and hard work, feel a touch of my old complaint L take a dose or two of Seigel's Syrap and the trouble goes no further. Since the publication of my testimonial many persons have called at my house and asked me if all that is published about my case is true, and if the Proprietors of Seigel's Syrup had made additions to my statement.

nothing had been added by the Proprietors of the medicine, but I could add a good deal more, for no words can describe what my sufferinge were during all those long years. I never exported being well again in this world. Seiger's Syrup saved my life and I desire other sufferers to know of what did so much for me. I wil gladly answer inquiries.

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Declared before me at Leeds, in the County of York, by the said Mary Cuddy, on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1891, (Signed) ALE COOKE,

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(Signed) MARY CUDDY.

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